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Boat Details

Price	Sold	Boat Brand	Custom
Model	Maine Lobster boat	Length	9.75
Year	1996	Category	Motor & Power Boats
Hull Style	Single	Hull Type	Fibreglass
Power Type	Power	Stock Number	PWCM323378
Condition	Used	State	New South Wales
Suburb	CLAREVILLE	Engine Make	Cummins

Description

1996 commercially built Maine Lobster Boat for sale exclusively with DBY Boat Sales.

Calaloo(exMaine Maid) is a custom 32’ Maine Lobster Boat built as a launch rather than a working boat and for an Australian client for use on Sydney Harbour. She is a Merton Rich design, built by Weldon (Bunny)Leonard at Mount Desert Island Boat Works on Mount Desert Island, Maine, and is known as an MDI 32. Sea trialled in Maine before being shipped to Sydney her interior fitout was done here and includes beautiful Tasmanian Celery Top Pine for the timber trim and gloss Tasmanian Myrtle and Celery Top internal flooring.

She has spent her pampered life firstly on Sydney Harbour, then on Port Stephens, then on the marina at Royal Queensland Yacht Squadron at Manly in Queensland, and for the last 5 years has lived on Pittwater.

Powered by a 315hp turbo charged Cummins diesel (a Diamond Series 6BTA5.9M2 to be precise) she will do 17 knots at wide open throttle but her yachty owners are mostly happy to potter around (sipping fuel) at 7.5 – 8 knots. She had dual Racor primary fuel filters and a new propeller fitted in 2018 prior to her trip down the coast to Sydney and has been serviced annually including a full service of the heat exchanger/cooling system in December 2021.

Her decks were repainted in 2019, her hull was resprayed by Beashel’s in August of 2020, and she was given beautiful new cream leather saloon cushions and helm seat not long before that as well as two new 200 Ah house batteries.

She has a bowthruster, laid teak decking in the cockpit, and from her Moreton Bay days she has a 2 burner cockpit gas stove and gas barbecue, and a huge cockpit drinks fridge as well as a Vitrifrigo 133 litre upright fridge freezer and one burner butane stove in the galley. As well she had a fiberglass hardtop fitted over the cockpit and drop down canvas sides to enclose the cockpit at the mooring, but which can also be poled out with fiberglass battens to provide extra shade when needed. There is a heavy duty davit on the stern to lift the 3.1m inflatable, and 15hp Yamaha outboard.

Wired for shorepower there is also a 2000W / 80 Amp Enerdrive inverter / charger (to power the coffee machine and toaster or a microwave oven if desired). A new 115 Amp alternator was fitted to the motor in 2019 and there are 2 x 200 Watt solar panels on the roof so battery charging is never an issue.

In regular use most weekends, and every Christmas and Easter,Calaloois full of fuel and literally ready to go at a moments notice. She is only for sale now as her owners are ready for another yacht and some more sailing.

Features

Designer	Merton Rich
Builder	Weldon Leonard at Mount Desert Island Boatworks, Maine, USA
Water (Potable) Capacity (l)	150
Hull Construction Material	Fibreglass with divinycell reinforcement in forward sections
Hull Type	Maine Lobster Boat
Deck Construction Material	Fibreglass with timber reinforcement
Country Origin	USA
Length (feet)	32
Length (m)	9.7
Length Waterline (m)	9
Beam/Width (feet)	11ft 3 inch
Beam/Width (m)	3.4
Draft (m)	1
Draft (feet)	3ft 3 inch
Number of Helms	1

Displacement	7 tonne
Colour	Green
Engine Notes	Serviced January 2022. Maintenance records available.
Number Of Engines	1
Engine Standard	1996 Cummins
Stroke	4
Engine Hours	1300
Horse Power (hp)	315
Drive Type	Shaft
Engine Room	Under saloon
Number of Batteries	3: 1 start, 2 x House (2019)
Fuel Type	Diesel
Number of Fuel Tanks	2 x 378L each.
Fuel Tank Capacity (L)	756
Propeller	4 blade 23inch, new 2018
Steering System	Hydraulic
Bow Thruster	Yes
Accomodation Notes	Large V berth
Number of Berths	1 double
Number of Showers	1
Shower Type	Hot & cold pressurised
Number of Toilets	1
Toilet Type	Jabsco electric
Number of TVs	1
Holding Tank (L)	In place but not connected.
Galley Notes	Coffee machine + milk frother. Toaster.
Stove	1 burner butane in galley, 2 burner gas in cockpit
Refrigeration	1 upright fridge /freezer in galley + 1 in cockpit
Number of Freezers	1 in galley fridge
Number of Sinks	1
Entertainment and Appliances Notes	TV, Stereo
Anchor / Winch	Muir (overhauled 2022)
Bilge Pump	2 x electric
Deck Gear	4 x fenders. Dock lines. Boat hook.
Electrics	240v shore power, 2 x 200 watt solar panels, Enerdrive battery monitor
Electronics Navigation	Chart Plotter, Radar, Fishfinder. Helm indicator (2023), Coursemaster 550 autopilot.
Dinghy	Sirocco 3.1m alloy RIB, Yamaha 15hp outboard
Covers	Windscreen, cockpit.
Safety Gear	406 EPIRB
Ground Tackle	17kg anchor + 10mm chain + warp
GPS	Raymarine chart plotter
Number of Fish Finders	1
Has Navigation Lights	Yes
Radio	VHF
Number of Life Jackets	10
Remarks	All in perfect working order.

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Engine Make	Cummins
Horse Power	315